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INTERNAT PCT/	JONAL APPLICATION NO. JP03/013839	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 29 October 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 6 November 2002	
TITLE OF INVENTION INK COMPOSITION				
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US				
Yasuyuki Kitayama, Yosinori Katoh and Noriko Kiyoyanagi				
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:				
1. 🔼 1	This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.			
	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.			
3 т	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.			
4. X 1	The US has been elected (Article 31).			
5. X	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))			
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).			
	b. X has been communicated by the International Bureau.			
	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).			
6. X	An English language translation of the	e International Application as filed (35 U.S.6	C. 371(c)(2)).	
	a. X is attached hereto.			
<b>-</b> ₹1	b. As been previously submit	tted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		
7. X	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))			
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	d. X have not been made and v			
8. 📙	An English language translation of the	ne amendments to the claims under PCT Ar	rticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).	
9. 🔲	An oath or declaration of the inventor		•	
10.	An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary E	Examination Report under PCT	
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:				
11. 🔲	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
12.	An assignment document for recording	ng. A separate cover sheet in compliance w	vith 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13.	A preliminary amendment.			
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37	CFR 1.76.		
15.	A substitute specification.	•		
16.	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.			
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.			
18.	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).			
19.	A second copy of the English langual 1. Cop	ge translation of the international applicatio y of the Int. Search Report.	n under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 3. Form PCT/TB304 and 308.	

Other items or information: 2. English translation of Amendments Under Article 34.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.414 and 1.491-1.492. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public, which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 15 minutes to complete, including gathering information, preparing, and submitting the completed form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mall Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Page 1 of 2

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In re application of:

Yasuyuki Kitayama, Yosinori Katoh and Noriko Kiyoyanagi

For: **INK COMPOSITION** 

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Sir: LETTER

The above-identified applicants enclose for filing the national phase of a PCT patent application (PCT/JP2003/013839) entitled "INK COMPOSITION". Said attached PCT patent application includes (1) Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371 (2-Pages); (2) Translation of the International Application into English: PCT Request (7-Pages), 32-Page Specification (including 2-Pages of Claims (9) and 1-Page Abstract); (3) Check in the amount of \$1,490.00 in payment of the Filing Fee; (4) English Translation of Whole Claims Reflecting Article 34 Amendment (2-Pages); (5) Copy of the International Search Report (2-pages); (6) Copy of the Notice Informing the Applicant of the Communication of the International Application to the Designated Offices (Form PCT/IB/308)(1-Page); and (7) Copy of the Notification Concerning Submission of Priority Document (Form PCT/IB/304)(1-Page).

Please enter the Article 34 Amendment before Calculating the claims.

The executed Declaration will be submitted in due course.

All correspondence concerning this application should be mailed to: CUSTOMER NO: 42754

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Respectfully submitted,

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